Other Obligations " by opening a suitable Deduct Head, the heads of debit being " 43 Interest on Industrial Works " for Government Commercial undertakings and " 52 Interest on Electricity Schemes " for Electrical Works.

4. The interest is to be adjusted on cumulative capital at the commencement and half the capital outlay incurred during the year.

5. The revised procedure will be effective from 1952-53.

M. SHAMANNA,
Secretary to Government,
Finance Department.

Sanctions the continuance of the enhanced rates of Daily Allowance and Mileage for a further period of one year from 1st April 1952.

READ—

Government Order No. Fl. 9449-9530—S. & A. 167-50-2, dated 24th March 1951, sanctioning till the end of March 1952, the continuance of the enhanced rates (by 33⅓ per cent) of Daily Allowance and Mileage admissible under the provisions of the Mysore Service Regulations in respect of Government Servants and non-official members of Committees and other Public Bodies constituted by Governmnet (subject to a minimum of Rupee one only for halts in Bangalore City and Annas twelve only for halts in other places within the State).

2. Government Order No. Fl. (B) 5829-5929—L.F.A. 93-51-2, dated 27th February 1952, sanctioning the minimum rates of daily allowance at Rs. 1-4-0 per day for halts at Bangalore, Mysore, Kolar Gold Fields and Davangere and at Re. 1-0-0 per day for halts in District Headquarters, and Annas twelve only per day for halts in other places.

ORDER NO. FL. 431-650—S. & A. 8-52-1, DATED BANGALORE, THE 15TH APRIL 1952.

It is hereby directed that the enhanced rates of daily allowance and mileage referred to in the Government Order dated 24th March 1951 read above, be continued for a further period of one year from 1st April 1952, subject however to a minimum daily allowance of Rs. 1-4-0 for halts at Bangalore, Mysore, Kolar Gold Fields and Davangere and Re. 1-0-0 for halts in District Headquarters, and Annas twelve only for halts in other places.

M. SHAMANNA,
Secretary to Government,
Finance Department.

REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Reviews the Administration Report of the Muzrai Department for the year 1950-51.

READ—

The Report on the working of the Muzrai Department during the year 1950-51 received with the Muzrai Commissioner's letter No. C. Per. A-1—50-51, dated 26th December 1951. (Printed as Annexure).

ORDER NO. S.R. 8853-65—MUZ. 241-51-2, DATED BANGALORE, THE 25TH MARCH 1952.

Recorded.

The important Jatras, Car Festivals and the Urus at Gumbaz were conducted satisfactorily. Sri Sringeri Mutt continued under Government management. It is proposed to hold the Mahamastakabhisheka of Sri Gomateswaraswamy in 1953. The Report of the *Ad Hoc* Committee appointed to consider measures necessary for improving the working of the temples at Melkote and Nanjangud is under consideration of Government.

Muzrai Institutions.—There were 167 major institutions, 1,216 minor and 13,341 village institutions during the year, as against 164 major, 1,201 minor institutions in the year previous.

Grants from State and Muzrai Funds for construction and repairs of Muzrai Institutions.—A sum of Rs. 2,13,133-2-0 was spent on construction and repairs of 206 old and new works sanctioned during the year and 683 works at an estimated cost of Rs. 9,26,641-8-7 were pending at the close of the year, the delay in the completion of the works being due to the rise in the cost of building materials and the difficulty in securing materials like steel, etc., in large quantities and also due to the rise in the cost of labour resulting in the revision of estimates.

Fresh grants to the extent of Rs. 1,75,000 were sanctioned out of the Budget allotment for the year.

Improvements to Sri Ramadevaru Temple at Tumkur at an estimated cost of Rs. 16,200 and dismantling and reconstruction of Sri Srinivasadevaru Temple at Mandya at an estimated cost of Rs. 10,490 and silver plating of Rudra Mantap door of Kalasa Temple at Kalasa, Mudigere Taluk, were the important works sanctioned during the year.

Muzrai Funds.—The financial position of the several Muzrai Funds during the year was as follows :—

Sl. No.	Name of Fund	Opening Balance	Receipts	Total	Expenditure	Closing Balance
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
1	Muzrai Establishment Fund ...	74,862 14 0	54,475 6 0	1,29,338 4 0	83,544 0 0	45,794 4 0
2	General Muzrai Fund ...	44,922 14 4	27,811 13 6	72,734 11 10	37,240 0 0	35,494 11 10
3	Chattram Savings Fund ...	1,41,822 8 8	54,420 9 3	1,96,243 1 11	1,16,654 6 8	79,588 11 3

The main source of income to the funds is the interest on investments besides contributions received from Muzrai Institutions in respect of the Muzrai Establishment Fund, transfer of balances at the credit of defunct institutions to the General Muzrai Fund and Tasdik grants of abolished chattrams to the Chattram Savings Fund.

Income and Expenditure of Muzrai Institutions.—The total income and expenditure of Muzrai Institutions during the year amounted respectively to Rs. 52,31,265-13-5 (inclusive of the opening balance of Rs. 35,19,847-6-9) and Rs. 13,48,834-0-4, leaving a closing balance of Rs. 38,82,431-13-1, as against Rs. 35,19,847-6-9 during the previous year.

Loss of properties of Muzrai Institutions—Properties worth about Rs. 6,666 belonging to Muzrai Institutions are reported to have been lost by theft during the year and steps have been taken to trace the culprits and recover the value of the lost articles.

Endowments.—Fresh endowments of a total value of Rs. 97,550 were made by private individuals during the year for the benefit of institutions or for religious or charitable purposes, as against Rs. 2,77,450 received during the previous year.

Jatras and Cattle Shows.—Jatras and Cattle Shows were conducted successfully during the year in Chitaldrug, Shimoga, Chikmagalur and Bangalore Districts and in other Districts no Jatras or Cattle Shows were held owing to prevalence of epidemic diseases in and outside the Districts.

An aggregate sum of Rs. 83,381-12-11 was realised during the year and the total expenditure incurred towards sanitary and other arrangements amounted to Rs. 11,794-9-3. Another sum of Rs. 3,395-0-6 was spent on Cattle Shows and a net amount of Rs. 66,904-9-0 was credited to the funds of the respective institutions.

Puduvat Loans.—A total sum of Rs. 94,580-0-9 (including Rs. 811-6-11 added on during the year) was outstanding in respect of 1,184 Puduvat Loans and out of this, a sum of Rs. 2,992-4-8 was collected in respect of 26 loan accounts, leaving a balance of Rs. 91,587-12-1 in 1,158 accounts at the end of the year.

Loans outstanding recovery are heavy in the Districts of Chikmagalur (Rs. 25,854-5-4), Hassan (Rs. 21,211-2-0) and Mysore (Rs. 15,909-14-9). The Deputy Commissioners should issue strict instructions to the subordinate officers to see that the heavy arrears are reduced appreciably during the current year and watch the progress made during their inspections.

Defunct Institutions.—To the 39 cases pending at the beginning of the year, six more cases were added, bringing the total number of cases for disposal to 45. Out of these, 11 cases were disposed of, leaving a balance of 34 at the end of the year.

In the Districts of Shimoga and Tumkur, the cases pending are heavy, being 18 and 9, respectively. The Deputy Commissioners are requested to see that the cases are disposed of expeditiously.

General.—During the year under report, sanction was accorded for the feeding of Non-Brahmin pilgrims visiting Tirupathi and Benares at a total cost of Rs. 17,465 and Rs. 2,394 per annum, respectively.

The working of the Department was on the whole satisfactory.

B. T. KEMPANNA,
Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

MEDICAL AND PUBLIC HEALTH SECRETARIAT

Reviews the Report of the Medcial Department for the calendar year 1950.

READ—

Letter No. Gc. 278, dated 3rd November 1951, from the Senior Surgeon in Mysore, Bangalore, submitting the Annual Report of the Medical Department for the year 1950.

ORDER NO. M. 312-14—MED. 79-51-3, DATED BANGALORE, THE 8TH APRIL 1952.

Recorded.

There were 490 Medical Institutions in the State at the end of the year 1950 as against 470 at the end of the previous year. Twenty institutions were added during the year. This gives an average of one institution per 60·1 square miles and 14,957 of population compared with 62·7 square miles and 15,594 of population at the end of the previous year. Out of the total number of medical institutions 100 are located in urban areas and 390 in rural areas. Dispensaries numbering 109 are transferred to the Public Health Department during the year.

The total number of beds in all the institutions was 5,671 (5,404). Of these 2,355 (2,313) were for men and 3,316 (3,091) were for women and children. The total number of fresh admissions as in-patients in all the institutions was 1,41,983 (1,41,070). Of these 41,487 were men, 75,450 women and 18,996 children. The total number of out-patients treated was 76,91,372 (76,81,947). Of these 3,45,332 were men, 19,94,446 women and 24,23,594 children. The number of Surgical operations performed in all institutions were 1,35,245 (1,33,903).

The total number of parturition cases conducted both in and outside the institutions was 71,910 (66,620). Of these 41,002 (35,840) received institutional treatment.

Finance.—The expenditure on medical services was 87,17,405 compared with 69,15,673 in the previous year. The contributions from local bodies amounted to Rs. 4,85,300 as against Rs. 4,90,800. The hospital receipts amounted to Rs. 4,47,894 as against Rs. 4,07,122.

The B.C.G. Vaccination Scheme was sanctioned by Government and put into operation from 1st March 1950 in Bangalore. A medical officer who received intensive training in United States of America in this specialised work was employed for this purpose and the vaccination of school children is being conducted under his guidance. There are now three teams working with three locally trained doctors and six nurses detailed for this purpose.

Donations.—Donations to the extent of Rs. 1,41,820 were received during the year.

New Buildings.—Seven new buildings were constructed during the year.